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SUBJECT: MAJOR PROJECT: TUNA FREEZING PLANT

1. PROJECT NAME: TUNA FREEZING PLANT

2. BRIEF DESCRIPTION: PLANT IS JOINT PROJECT OF  
VENEZUELAN (80 PERCENT) AND U.S. (20 PERCENT) INTERESTS. STARKIST  
INTERNATIONAL IS FURNISHING PLANS FOR SMALL FREEZING  
PLANT WHICH WILL EVENTUALLY PROCESS CATCH OF SMALL  
SIX BOAT TUNA FLEET BASED IN MARACAIBO. PLANS WILL  
BE BASED ON STARKIST U.S. PLANT DESIGN, MODIFIED TO  
MEET VENEZUELAN SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS.

3. PROJECT MANAGER: VENEZUELAN-BASED U.S. REPRESENTATIVE  
FOR STARKIST TUNA FLEET IS:

JUAN ROVID VIGUEI  
GERENTE  
ROVID AGENTES ADUANALES Y MARITIMOS  
AVENIDA 4, BELLA VISTA  
EDIFICIO ESTRELLA PISO 2, LOCAL 6  
MARACAIBO TELEPHONE NO: 76188

MR. GEORGE GLIGO, PRESIDENT OF STARKIST INTERNATIONAL,  
HAS ALSO VISITED SITE AND IS CLOSELY INVOLVED WITH  
DEVELOPMENT OF PROJECT.

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4. BID DATES: INTERNATIONAL BIDDING TO OPEN  
DECEMBER 1976.

5. ESTIMATED PROJECT COSTS: APPROXIMATELY \$2 MILLION.

6. COMPETITIVE FACTORS: USE OF STARKIST PLANT  
DESIGN SHOULD FAVOR U.S. FIRMS WITH EXPERIENCE IN  
SUPPLYING EQUIPMENT TO MEET AMERICAN STANDARDS.

7. ABOVE INFORMATION FURNISHED BY AMERICAN CONSUL  
MARACAIBO.  
VAKY

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